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Feb. 9th, 1874.

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## LIVERY STABLES.


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ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

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## Poetry.

### The Stolen Hat.

BY A MEMBER OF THE BACHELOR'S CLUB.

It was hung on the rack by the side of the door,
I turned my back and saw it no more.
May God rest his soul whoever he be,
Who wears on his poll what he's stolen from me!

When my breakfast was done, and my beaver was lost,
I reckoned my host would pay up the cost:
He showed me a card at the top of the rack—
"What is stolen from here I never pay back,"

Since my beaver was lost, I thought that the rake
Might have paid for the cost of my morning beefsteak;
But he left me the bill, and my cranium bare,
With no head-gear at all but my natural hair.

If ever again a beaver is mine,
In this hotel it never shall shine;
For although I believe my host no deceiver,
I cannot endure the loss of my beaver.

Elizabeth City, N. C., 1874.

## Selected Story.

### Uncle Greenleaf.

Uncle Greenleaf lived about a mile from the village of C——, in a quaint old many-gabled house, just in the edge of Glen Hollow.

Uncle Greenleaf had six strong hearty sons and three daughters. His children were his pride. He had all his life been a queer, crotchety man, as the world would term, it for he had taught his children that honesty, truth and temperance was the golden mean, and that the golden rule was a rule for every day practice.

He had taught them to abhor deceit, despise flattery, and love truth for it's own sake; that a life of honest toil was far better than luxury obtained by underhanded means.

All the boys had turned out well but one. That was Israel. He had not done so well. John, James, Daniel, Reuben and Benjamin he could point to with pride, and tell the neighbors how this one had succeeded, how that one thrived, but above all, how he was blessed with their filial love.

Uncle Greenleaf was an old soldier. For fifty years he had marched under the banner of Jesus, and now the white blosoms of seventy winters clustered about his head. He was standing almost on the borders of that very Canaan, and only waiting the summons to lay his armor down.

But he wanted to see his children once more together around the old hearthstone. He had grown quite feble of late, and had sometimes been scarcely able to keep his feet. And so, knowing within himself that the end of his pilgrimage was drawing near, he had sent for his children to come home. They were scattered far and wide. Some were in the North, some in the South, one in the far West, and one—he knew not where.

Israel the youngest and best loved, had long ago left the parental roof tree in anger, for he never took kindly to his father's admonitions and warnings, preferring rather to plunge into the dizzy whirl of the city than to stay on the old farm. He was intoxicated with the dazzel and glitter of mock society, and stifled the good impulses of his heart, and steeled his will, as the old father stood on the porch, and with trembling lips and tearful eyes, said:

"Israel, my boy, don't go. Better stay at home. You're all that's left me now."

And, as he saw the fixed determination in the eye of the young man, and knew that it was useless to further entreat, he added:

"Remember, if you get wearied and sick of your way, come back to the old home, my boy. I trust I shall yet be here to meet you."

The young man went his way.

Uncle Greenleaf went about his duties as usual, although, as time passed on, there was a perceptible change. His form was no longer erect as of old, but slightly bent, and his hair grew more and more as a crown of silver. People said he grew old fast.

But everybody saw that his heart grew warmer than ever, and that it came to be his daily delight to help the poor and relieve the needy. Hardly a day passed but old Blossom was hitched in the family chase, and plodding along cheerily to Uncle Greenleaf's whistle, while stowed away under the seat were sundry baskets of provision, some for the sick family in the hollow, some for widow Grason, and some for blind Dave.

With many a nod and a smile, and neighborly greeting for passers by, he would finally drive up to the widow's cottage, deposite his basket, and amid the blessings of the widow and fatherless children, which fell upon his whitened locks like a benediction, drive on to the sick family in the hollow, and then to blind Dave's; after that, cheerful heart, he would go leisurely home, always stopping at the village postoffice, as if expecting a letter, or some word, from the one who had left home without the parental consent, but whom he still fondly loved as of yore, and who he still hoped would yet come back again.

One day, in early autumn, after Uncle Greenleaf had completed his round of charity and was driving home, he heard the sound of horse's hoofs behind him. He had somehow been strangely elevated in spirit that day. Not that Uncle Greenleaf was not always happy; but on this particular day he seemed unusually cheerful. So when the rider overtook the old chaise, he was rather surprised to hear Uncle Greenleaf's hearty "How d'ye do!" and his "Quite well, thank God!" in response to Squire Brown's salutation.

"I hear that your children are all coming back to see you. Kind of a family reunion, I suppose?" said squire Brown.

"Yes, sir, they're coming to see me once more."

"Quite soon, now?" queried thesquire.

"Yes, sir. They'll all be here by the 20th, Providence permitting. And this is the 16th. Time goes by rapidly with me now. It seems but yesterday that my boys and I cut wheat on yonder slope and mowed hay on that meadow land facing the creek. Yes, yes, the days go by."

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The service over, the congregation rose to receive the benediction. Uncle Greenloaf kept his seat. Then the people began to disperse. Still he moved not. Israel touched him. No movement followed. Alarmed, he stooped and raised the old man up. He had passed away.

He *had* grown young again. Yes, young in that blessed land where we never grow old. Young—in our father's house, where many mansions be, and where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary be at rest.

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### Berthald Reimer.

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It was a warm summer day, still she had waited, resting in the shadow of one of the huge pillars which framed the enterance way to that quaint old cathedral; bending forward eagerly as each sted sounded on the pavement beyond, and sinking back again as it died away in the distance with a look of keen disappointment on her young face. And thus had she sat watching and waiting, hour after hour passing away, till the afternoon had nearly waned and, weary she was about to leave, when a sudden sound arrested her. A man's step rang sharp and clear on the marble near, and passing in the direction of the gallery stairs slowly ascended.

One day, in early autumn, after Uncle Greenleaf had completed his round of charity and was driving home, he heard the sound of horse's hoofs behind him. He had somehow been strangely elevated in spirit that day. Not that Uncle Greenleaf was not always happy; but on this particular day he seemed unusually cheerful. So when the rider overtook the old chaise, he was rather surprised to hear Uncle Greenleaf's hearty "How d'ye do!" and his "Quite well, thank God!" in response to Squire Brown's salutation.

"I hear that your children are all coming back to see you. Kind of a family reunion, I suppose?" said squire Brown.

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### WHY WE ARE STILL A REPUBLICAN.

When we meet a man who is continually boasting of his noble ancestry we begin to look upon him with suspicion. To know a man we must know what *he* is, not what his *father* was. Noble descent is well enough in its place—but where a man has nothing better to boast of than his pedigree, he has reached the bottom, and is little better than the snail that looks up with envy at the strong winged eagle in its lofty flight. It is nobler to ascend than to descend; to improve on the family stock rather than to deteriorate. To fall back upon the reputation of our great grandfathers to sustain our own is little better than robbing a grave to secure the jewels buried in it.

So with parties. We honor them for what they *are*, not for what they were in days gone by. As for the Democracy, we see nothing in it but the shadow of a great name

Not so with the Republican party. We glory in its past achievements because out of them have grown its present strength and nobility. What it was yesterday it is to-day, a living, moving power, exercising an influence for good; defending the nation from its enemies at home and abroad; protecting the liberties of the people; establishing schools for popular education; reaching out its arm to restrain manopolies from encroaching upon the rights of the people; holding the scales of justice between capital and labor, and exacting from its servants an honest and economical administration of the Government.

For these good and sufficient reasons we stand by and sustain the Republican party. We take just pride in its past achievements because they have given birth to our present aspirations. We have taken no step backward. Some of our standard bearers have proven false it is true, but the rank and file remained firm, and loyal hands caught up the old flag and kept it aloft in the vanguard of civilization. The noblest army will have its deserters, the noblest party will have its faithless servants, but neither army nor party can suffer as long as the body remains true to the cause

The Republican party represents the progressive idea of the people, not the ambitions designs of its leaders. The defection of one of the latter, the dishonesty of an official, the failure of a representative to reflect the wishes of his constituents, have no other effect than to arrouse the people to greater caution in the selection of their public servants. The great political body is sound; its faults are few, and, when discovered, easily remedied. As the present condition of the party is as worthy of commendation as its past, so the future will add, rather than detract, from its glory. We have much yet to do. The work so well accomplished have brought other and larger duties for the party to perform; to disarm ignorance, protect labor, encourage immigration, develope our wonderful reasources, protect the public credit, adapt the national currency to the wants of the masses, maintain justice in every section of the land and secure honesty in every department of the Government. Those are duties as imposing as any that have been laid upon the party in the past, and it must faithfully perform them.

### THE GOOD FARMER VERSUS THE POOR ONE.

There is a great difference in farming and farmers. There are those who are careful, industrious, neat and successful, and there are those who in all these respects are the very opposite. To the good farmer, whose land is drained and clean and in good cultivation, who did more or less ploughing last fall, who has his seed on hand and his implements and harness and teams in proper condition the mouth of March is usually a joyous month. But to the farmer whose land is undrained, who has not a field on the farm where there are not wet spots, who has part of his land dry enough to work, but where in low spots, the water follows the plough in the furrows, who hasn't a bushel of seed ready, and whose harness and ploughs all need repairing—to such a farmer March is one of the most disheartening months in the year. He has at best but a gloomy prospect before him for he knows that he cannot make a remunerative crop. If he has any pluck he wont allow himself to be caught in this condition another year. But how many there are that are always thus backward and working to disadvantage. They are not good farmers.

The New York *Sun* thus slanders some Boniface of our State:

It was a North Carolina landlord who posted a notice in his dining room that members of the Legislature would be first seated, and afterwards the gentlemen.

Rear Admiral LAMAN died in Washington, on the 14th, aged 63 years.

### THE DISMAL SWAMP CANAL.

SECOND ARTICLE.

We hold that the deepening and widening of the Dismal Swamp Canal is a work of national importance—nay a national necessity. What are the facts? It is the only direct connection between the waters of Virginia and North Carolina, really making a water connection between the Southern limits of this State and Massachusetts. Its necessity was felt during the time of the war with England in 1812. The large and important Navy Yard at Norfolk receives its supplies of timber and tar and turpentine—all of them very important—from this State. The only connection was through the navigation—always dangerous—of the Sounds, the Inlets and the Ocean. But during that war our entire coast was occupied by British cruisers, cutting off these much needed naval supplies.

With the knowledge of this fact, and to obviate the difficulties and danger by opening up an inland navigable channel for the shorter, safer and more economical transit of supplies, Congress in 1826, was induced to appropriate $200,000. This, with other aid by individuals and the State of Virginia, resulted in making the Dismal Swamp Canal. But it is not completed—is far from being what it should be. Without a much larger investment of capital the stock can never be made to pay, nor can the Canal meet the demands of trade and commerce: With such investment to make the needed improvements, this Canal will not only become one of the best of its kind in the United States, but it will pay handsome dividends.

Now what are the improvements needed? *It should be made a Ship Canal.* The summit level should be reduced and the Canal widened from 30 to 60 feet throughout, dispensing with all the locks on the main canal, except the North and South locks, which should be enlarged. The immediate result would be a larger and perpetual supply of water from Lake Drummond, affording a navigation of at least eight feet depth. This would open facilities to vessels of larger tonnage and draft and it would shorten the *time* of travel between Elizabeth City and Norfolk more than half.

But we are not referring to this matter in its aspects of meeting the wants of the local traffic and in developing the country. These we will discuss in another article. We are alluding to it as a work in which the Government is interested and one of really national importance. Our coast is a large and dangerous one, and in the event of a war with a foreign nation having a good Navy it would be difficult to keep up the commercial and naval supplies the Government itself would need. And even now, in time of peace, with a Ship Canal the saving in *time* and *freight* would soon be items of no small importance. As things are, all the naval timber and stores are obliged to be *freighted* by the outside route. The delay, the hazard, the greater expense and the extra insurance are serious drawbacks. With a Ship Canal the heavier naval timber could be rafted and the supplies shipped safer and quicker and cheaper.

These are arguments appealing to sound judgement and common sense, and it is because the Government is so largely interested that we think it ought, may believe that it will yet aid in completing this great work.

### THE DEATH OF CHARLES SUMNER.

CHARLES SUMNER is dead. The event occurred in Washington City on Wednesday last, the 11th inst. He was born in Boston, on the 6th of January 1811. His early life was devoted to study and literature. His first public effort which attracted the attention of the country was an oration on "The true Grandeur of Nations." He was always an earnest opponent of Slavery On the withdrawal of DANIEL WEBSTER from the United States Senate to take a place in FILLMORE'S Cabinet in 1850, he was selected to fill the vacancy, and has represented Massachusetts in that body ever since. He at once announced as his political life that "Freedom is national and Slavery is sectional," and no public man ever more devotedly adhered to an idea in all his acts than did Senator SUMNER. To secure the constitutional guarantee of equal rights to every American appeared to be the business of his life. Some called him a fanatic, others an enthusiast, but all must admit that he was brave and courageous and consistent.

A cotemporary in closing an obituary notice thus describes him:

In person Mr. Sumner was tall, well formed and commanding. His dignity and impressive courtesy sat well upon a princely frame. His voice was remarkably melodious, and his action in speaking graceful as well as animated. The fire and glow of his youth can only exist in the memory of a few, but even when past the meridian of life and near an age beyond which so few public men of this country seem able to endure, he was still among the very first of American orators. His mind was not only marked by the highest characteristics of ability; it was stored with a rich array of elegant and useful knowledge. He was equally at home in the modern and ancient classics, and could quote from either with singular readiness and accuracy; and, in addition to a very retentive memory, he was gifted with imaginative powers. As a rhetorician he must be the model of future generations. To the most elegant accomplishments he added the sternest purity of purpose and the conception of moral duty. Indeed, a somewhat familiar phrase, current during his lifetime, is none the less true because he is dead—"There is but one Charles Sumner."

No more truthful sentence was ever penned by man than the following written by Chancelor KENT:

"The parent who sends his son into the world uneducated defrauds the community of a lawful citizen and bequeaths to it a nuisance."

These words should be written in letters of gold over the entrance of every school in the land.

The hatchet that killed Tecumseh is found. We are glad of it.—*Ex.*

So are we. The country has long been anxious to hear of a hatchet that *will* lie.

### POPULAR EDUCATION.

We believe the day is rapidly approaching when the enlightened public opinion of the country will demand universal education applicable to and enforced in every section of the Republic. Our perpetuity and safety as a Government depends on the intelligence of our people. The higher the standard of intelligence the safer and more permanent will be our institutions. In his farewell address, WASHINGTON left us his views on the subject. He said:

"Promote as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge. In proportion as the structure of a government gives force to public opinion it is essential that public opinion should be enlightened."

The party that follows this advice will not lack the earnest support of the people.

Governor KEMPER of Virginia has terribly disgruntled the Conservatives by a late veto massage. The City of Petersburg is strongly Republican. The Conservatives succeeded in passing through the Legislature a bill providing a charter for that City which would virtually place its municipality into their hands. Though urged by his party friends the Governor could not "see it"—could not endorse a scheme to "subvert the principles of popular government." He promptly and manfully vetoed it. And his party friends are mad about it.

The Bankrupt bill as amended by the Senate did not pass the House after all. By the following dispatch from Washington it will be seen that there is still danger of its repeal. There is danger in delay:

The House Committee on the Judiciary directed Gen. Butler to report back the Bankrupt bill to the House, with the recommendation that the Senate amendments be non concurred in and that a committee on confrence be asked. Mr. Butler is now prepared to make such report. The Committee are nearly equally divided, but the majority are inclined to adhere to the House bill repealing the law.

The election in New Hampshire is over and, because of a division in the party and three candidates in the field, resulted in the defeat of the Republicans. There is no election of Governor by the people. It goes to the Legislature which is, by a small majority, Democratic.

Gen. JOHN TYLER, son of ex-President TYLER, has been licensed as a preacher by a Methodist Conference in Florida.

The Persians say of noisy unreasonable talk: "I hear the millstone, but I see no meal."

## CORRESPONDENCE

### Items from Hertford.

*To the Editor of the North Carolinian:*

Another Debating Society was organized in this place on Saturday night, the 14th inst., by several prominent young gentlemen, for the purpose of discussing questions, of a strictly biblical character. Undoubtedly the right move in the right direction.

Mr. Thos. Wilson, an old and respectable citizen of this county, died on Sunday, the 8th inst., at 4 P. M. The deceased would have attained to the age of 72 by the close of the present year. He had more than once represented this county in our Legislature and was in fact in possession of those rare qualifications which made him prominent in our business circles. His loss will be felt by all who knew him, but especially by those to whom he had frequently extended the hand of charity.

Report, eminating from the most reliable sources, says, that a lady in this county, not long since, gave premature birth to four (4) children at one confinement.

Some of our good citizens are perfecting arrangements for the organization of an Odd Fellows' Lodge at this place. A little more zeal in the good cause, is the purequisite to the successful accomplishment of their purpose.

Prof. W. G. Gaither has quite a number of pupils attending his school. The Prof. well deserves the patronage he receives.

The "Bed Renovating" men are here, but they refuse to do business on "Tick."

EGO.

Hertford, N. C., March 16th, 1874.

### Proceedings of County Commissioners.

OFFICE BOARD COMMISSIONERS }
Pasquotank Co. Mar. 16, 1874. }

Commissioners met. Present, C. W. Smith, Chm'n, James S. Wilcox, Edmund Dailey, Emanuel Davis and Abram Morris.

Ordered that out of the State warrants No. 760 for Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars and No. 772 for Fifty Dollars for the support by the county of Mary Cartwright, Courtney Harris, Jno. W. Prichard and Nancy Pool, this day paid in by F. Vaughan, Att'y; a County Order of Fifty Dollars be allowed to Dempsy Cartwright, Forty Dollars for Stephen Harris, Fifty Dollars for Thos. Prichard, and Twenty-five Dollars for the fee for collecting the same to said F. Vaughan, Att'y. Ordered further that the said amount of $400 be credited to the Poor Fund and that same fund be charged with the above orders amounting to $155.

Ordered that the county Treasurer and the Sheriff be requested to appear with their books for examination before the Board on Monday the 30th instant.

Ordered that Dempsy Cartwright be allowed $40 for maintaining Mary Cartwright, his Lunatic daughter for six months.

Ordered that Thomas Pritchard be allowed $50 for maintaining John W. Pritchard his Lunatic son for six months.

Ordered that Stephen Harris be allowed $40 for maintaining Courtney Harris his Lunatic wife for six months.

Ordered that F. Vaughan be allowed $25 for attorney fees.

On motion the Board adjourned to meet the 30th instant.

JOHN T. PRICE,
Clerk.

The Southern Representatives have recently held a caucus for the purpose of endeavoring to arrive at some compromise relative to the cotton tax refunding scheme. They have agreed upon a compromise bill, and will now endeavor to press the subject upon the attention of Congress this session.

Already the election of Mr. Dawes to the Senate, and the contingency of a vacancy in Chairmanship of the Ways and Means Committee, are much discussed.

### From Washington.

In the United States Senate the deaths of Ex-President Filmore and Senator Charles Sumner were announced and Committees appointed to attend the funerals. A bill to protect timber lands on Government reservations was formally reported. The Centennial appropriation was defeated and the bill referred to the Committe on Appropriations. The bill to provide for the appointment of a commission to investigate the alcoholic liquor traffic was passed. The currency was further discussed.

In the House of Representatives the deaths of Filmore and Sumner were announced and committees appointed to attend their funerals. A number of private bills were passed. The transportation question was discussed. A bill was favorably reported appointing Gen. Sherman, Secretary Robeson and the widow of the late Admiral Faragut a Commission to select a statue of the latter to be placed in the Capitol. A lively debate was had upon the action of the Treasury Department in employing special collectors. A bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors of the war of 1812, and to restore to the pension rolls persons whose names were stricken therefrom for disloyalty; a bill increasing the pensions of soldiers who have been totally disabled; and a bill granting an allowance of $30 to each soldier who has lost an eye, to enable him to purchase an artificial one were passed.

### Changes of a Century.

The nineteenth century has witnessed many and great discoveries.

In 1808 Fulton took out the first patent for the invention of a steamboat.

The first steamboats which made regular trips across the Atlantic Ocean were the Sirus and Great Western, in 1830.

The first public application to practise the use of gas for illuminating was made in 1802.

In 1813 the streets of London were for the first time lighted with gas.

In 1813 there was built at Waltham Mass., a mill believed to have been the first in the world, which combined all the requirements for making finished cloth from raw cotton.

In 1760 there were only twenty-five post-offices in the whole country, and up to 1837 the rates of postage were twenty-five cents for a letter sent over four hundred miles.

In 1807 wooden clocks commenced to be made by machinery. This ushered in the era of cheap clocks.

About the year 1833 the first railroad of any considerable length in the United States was constructed.

In 1840 the first experiment in photography was made by Daguerre.

About 1840 the first express business was established.

The anthracite coal business may be said to have begun in 1820.

In 1836 the first patent for the invention of matches was granted.

In 1845 the first telegram was sent.

Steel pens were introduced for use in 1803.

The first successful reaper was constructed in 1833.

In 1846 Elias Howe obtained a patent for the first sewing machine.

The first successful method of vulcanized India rubber was patented in 1839.

### BRONCHITIS.

This is an irritation or inflammation of the bronchial tubes which carry the air we breath into the lungs. It arises from a cold settled in the throat, from Catarrh extending to these parts, from scrufulous affections, and from severe use of the voice. The irritation from this latter cause commences in the *larynx* and *glottis*, which are the organs of the voice, and, extending downwards, produces hoarseness, coughing, and spitting mucous matter, sometimes mixed with blood. It is chiefly dangerous from its tendency to spread into the lungs, and termiate in consumption. It is in the cure of severe and obstinate cases of this disease that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has achieved unparalleled sucess, and won the loudest praise from all who have used it.

A DEBT OF GRATITUDE.

Mrs. Mary Taft, of Elk Point, Dakota Teritory, called at the World's Dispensary, Aug. 19, 1873, to acknowledge a debt of gratitude due Dr. Pierce, having been entirely cured of Catarrh, complicated with Throat Disease, by the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

### Obsequies of Senator Sumner.

BOSTON, MARCH 14.—Faneuil Hall has seldom been the scene of such popular demonstration of love and respect to departed worth exceeding the one exhibited at noon to-day. An hour and a half before the exercises commenced ladies were admitted to the balconies, which were immediately filled. Soon after the doors were thrown open to the public, and the hall was filled to its utmost capacity. The hall was elaborately hung with emblems of mourning, and on the platform were Vice President Wilson and a large number of distinguished men: Opposite the platform was a portrait of the late Senator, with dates of birth and death on each side. Mayor Cobb presided. Among the Vice Presidents were Wendell Phillips, Robert C. Winthrop, Richard H. Dana, B. R. Curtis, Sidney Bartlett, and Lloyd Garrison.

The story is told of a woman who freely used her tongue to the scandal of others, and made a confession to the priest of what she had done. He gave her a ripe thistle top, and told her to go out in various directions and scatter the seeds one by one. Wondering at the penance, she obeyed, and then returned, and told her confessor. To her amazement he bade her go back and gather the scattered seeds; and when she objected, that it would be impossible, he replied that it would still be more difficult to gather up and destroy all the evil reports which she had circulated about others. Any thoughtless, careless child can scatter a handful of thistle seed before the wind in a moment, but the strongest and wises man can not gather them again.

The Wyandotte *Courier* tells of the exploits of a belle of the Village of Trenton as follows: While purchasing some goods of a dashing young clerk she made some remark that implied doubts of his muscular ability and was promptly challenged to a trial of strength. The young lady accepted the banter and stepped into the street, followed by the young man who did not think the challenged party was in earnest. The moment the young man cleared the sidewalk he was grasped by the young lady and a vigorous struggle followed. In defense the clerk exerted all his strength, but was thrown to the ground, where, with his head in chancery, he got his face nicely washed with snow. The affair attracted a crowd of nearly one hundred persons.

It is stated that the owners of the New York *Sun* newspaper have commenced an action in the Supreme Court against the *Tribune* Association to recover a large amount of damages for encroaching twenty-five inches on the property of the *Sun* in erecting their new building.

Elder Jacob Knapp, well known as the itinerant revivalist, died at Rockville, Ill., on the 2nd inst., at the ripe age of seventy-four. He started as a Baptist minister in New York State, but soon after determined to become an independent preacher, and as such he held protracted meetings wherever he went, some of them extending over three weeks Thousands were converted under his preaching; indeed, it is said that he stopped counting the number thirty years ago, and at that time they had amounted to about a hundred thousand.

Charley Crothers, of Greenfield, is one of the saloon keepers the Ohio women have been laboring with. He received them, day after day, with welcome, and looked happier at every visit. One day an old patron broke out: "I say, Charley, ain't you gittin' most tired of this singin' and prayin' biznes?" "What! me gittin' tired? No, sir!" responded Charley, emphatically. "If I git tired of the little singin' and prayin' they do in my saloon here, what will I do when I'm in company with the angels, who don't do nothin' but sing and pray?"

Mr. Chase has been careful to leave behind him his personal diary of all the years in which he figured actively on the public stage. No public man was more industrious to control his posthumous memoirs, and he did not permit even his family to have the custody of them, but, fearing that family reasons would be urged against some memoranda, he committed the whole subject to Robert Worden of Cincinnati, who has faithfully prepared the Chief Justice's biography.

The *Jewish Messenger* says a lady seeks employment as an "ornamental guest." She will assist at dinner or evening parties, and by her grace, wit, and beauty, contribute to the entertainment of the company. She will do everything in the highest style of art; but will expect a handsome compensation for her unique services.

A Hartford gentleman who had tarried late at a wine supper found his wife awaiting his return in a high state of nervousness. Said she: "Here I've been waiting and rocking in a chair till my head swims round like a top." "Jess so where I've been," responded he; "it's in the atmosphere."

The Springfield *Republican* notes that quite a number of the towns in Western Massachusetts have chosen women as members of school boards, and says they were chosen not as the candidates of either party, but from a sensible conviction among voters generally that it was a good thing to do.

An elderly gentleman being greatly smitten with a young lady in church, passed her an open prayer book with the passage marked at the marriage service, "Wilt thou take this man to be thy wedded husband?" The girl quickly returned the book with this sentence strongly underlined, "No woman may marry her granfather."

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Mr. Stewart, of Nevada, has been appointed Chairman of the Committee to Investigate the Affairs of the District of Columbia, in place of Mr. Boutwell, excused on account of ill health.

The death of ex-Senator Wigfall at Galveston, Texas, is announced.


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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—

*Estate of F. D. Bunnell, Dec'd.*

Having taken out Letters of Administration upon the estate of F. D. Bunnell dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit the same to me properly authenticated, on or before the first day of April, 1875, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to Intestate are required to make immediate payment to me.

GEO. W. CHARLES,
Administrator.

Elizabeth City, N. C., March 18, 1874-6t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of Zenas Fearing.*

The undersifined hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Zenas Fearing of Pasquotank County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt udon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee.
39-3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—

*Estate of L. M. Chapman*

Having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of L. M. Chapman deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to come forward and make payment; and all persons having claims against the said estate are notified to present such claims within the period prescribed by law for settlement, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery

J. S. WILCOX, Administrator,
March 16th, 1874. per Attorney.


## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTBY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of F. J. Harrell, a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by F. J. Harrell of Martin county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of Mar. 2nd, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all the debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.

M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*
39-4t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States. } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of J. R. Drake a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filled in said court by J. R. Drake of Northampton Co., and State of N. Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874 at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of D. M. Lee, a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by D. M. Lee, of Chowan county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of J. J. Raynor a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by M. J. Raynor of Bertie county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of L. W. Lamb, Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by L. W. Lamb of Camden Co., and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of Riddick Gatling a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filled in said court by Riddick Gatling of Gates county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same times and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 17th day of March a. d. 1874.

M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*
39-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District, }

In the matter of H. Knaben a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by H. Knaben of Chowan county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d, day of April, 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same times and place.

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District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
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In the matter of E. F. Baxter, Bankrupt—ss

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a petition has been filed in said court by E. F. Baxter, of Currituck county, and State of N. Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and cirtificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have porved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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NOTICE.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE
SPECIAL TAXES,

*May 1st, 1874 to April 30th, 1875.*

The Law of December 24, 1872, requires every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a Special tax, to Procure and place Conspicuously in his Establishment or place of Business a Stamp denoting the payment of said Special Tax for the Special Tax year beginning May 1, 1874, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1874.

The Taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above Quoted are the following, viz

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| Rectifiers | $200.00 |
| Dealers, retail liquor | 25.00 |
| Dealers, wholesale liquor | 100.00 |
| Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale | 50.00 |
| Dealers in malt liquors, retail | 20.00 |
| Dealers in leaf tobacco | 25.00 |
| And on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000. | |
| Dealers in manufactured tobacco | 5.00 |
| Manufacturers of stills | 50.00 |
| And for each still manufactured | 20.00 |
| And for each worm manufactured | 20.00 |
| Manufacturers of tobacco | 10.00 |
| Manufacturers of cigars | 10.00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two horses) | 50.00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two horses) | 25.00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, third class (one horse) | 15.00 |
| Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance) | 10.00 |
| Brewers of less than 500 barrels | 50.00 |
| Brewers of 500 barrels or more | 100.00 |

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to M. C. McNAMARA, Collecter of Internal Revenue at Plymouth, N. C. or any of his Dep. Collectors as follows:

C. GUIRKIN at Elizabeth City, collector of the 1st Divison comprising the countins of Dare, Currituck, Camden, Pasquotank and Perquimans.

JOHN B. CHESSOM, Jr., at Plymouth, Collector of the 2nd Division, comprising the counties of Tyrrell, Washington, Martin Hyde and Beaufort.

JOHN N. HECHSTATE at Windsor, Collector of the 3rd Division

# NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, MAR 18, 1874.


☞ TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.
Administrator's Notices.
To Farmers.
Dress Making & Stamping.
Notices in Bankruptcy.
Assignee's Notices.

## Local and Personal.

☞ The offer of our Hertford correspondent is appreciated and accepted.

☞ The Academy at Rose Dale will be reopened on the 1st of April.

☞ Bishop LYMAN, of this Diocese, will preach in the Episcopal Church at this place on to-morow week, the 26th inst.

☞ A correspondent informs us that the fishermen on the Roanoke river have suspended operations on account of the recent freshet.

☞ The latest New York quotations are: Gold 111¼, Cotton 16⅛c, Corn 84 @ 88c. At Norfolk, Cotton 14½c. Corn declining. Meal $1,00.

☞ Two things will gather a congregation in Elizabeth City in double quick time—the one a fight and the other a fire. Fortunately it is seldom that either occur.

☞ Our young friend Dr. JOHN A. SMALL has just returned from Philadelphia, having finished his second course of Medical Lectures at the Jefferson College. He is now a regular M. D. Success to him.

☞ The colored horse thief W. E. BISHOP, who was lying in jail here on the charge of stealing a horse and buggy from DANIEL MALONY of Norfolk, has been delivered up to the authorities of the latter city and now he's in jail there awaiting his trial.

☞ That is a good sound principle which advises us that when any good happens to a fellow creature we should rejoice at it. It was illustrated the other day by the case of a man who built a bonfire in his back yard when his neighbor's dog died!

☞ Thursday last about 12½ o'clock a double building on Church Street—the first one West of the Methodist Church took fire. The alarm was immediately given, and by the use of axes the end on fire was cut down and the other saved, though very much damaged.

☞ The Board of County Commissioners have effected a new lease for the Building used for a Court House, and on better terms than heretofore. They have leased it for three years for One Thousand dollars. The price paid the last three years was Fifteen Hundred dollars.

☞ A new mail route has been established from Norfolk, Va., by way of Currituck C. H. and Knott's Island to Poplar Branch, N. C. It is carried by the steamer "Cygnet" and runs twice a week. The first trip was made on the 5th inst. This is quite a convenience to the people of that section.

☞ Our article in our issue of the 4th inst. defining our position toward aspiring politicians and office seekers who havn't local pride and spirit sufficient to patronize their home paper has been copied and endorsed by the entire Republican press of the State. It is the true position and we mean to stand by it.

☞ There are young men who cannot hold a skein of yarn for their mothers an hour without wincing, but will hold anywhere bordering on a hundred and twenty-five pounds for a neighboring family for the best part of a night, with a patience and docility that are certainly phenomenal.

☞ A Methodist friend hands us the following item of news and pleasantry: The steeple of the Main St. Methodist Church in Danville, Va., of which Rev. Samuel S. Lambeth is Pastor, was blown down one day last week, doing considerable damage to the church. It is said to have been the highest steeple in the State. The Rev. gentleman should not *aspire* after churches with such lofty *spires*.

☞ Some people may admire cat-concerts, but we have a neighbor who does'nt. He informs us that he had a little experience a few nights ago and it disturbed his peaceful slumbers. It occurred in his back yard. The felines fought and sang simultaneously and *cat*-egorically. The soprono and contralto voices were easily recognized. He says the entertainment was base enough without the *cat* to take the base part.

☞ The Court House removal question in Washington county has been settled. On the 2nd inst. the question was submitted to the people whether or not the Court House and other public buildings should be removed from Plymouth to Mackey's Ferry. The result was a majority of 47 in favor of their remaining at Plymouth. A close vote. The Commissioners will doubtless proceed to build a new Court House, the old one having been burned some time ago.

☞ On Sunday the 8th inst., near the Post Office at Currituck C. H. a dwelling house occupied by a colored man named JOHN WILLIAMS, and owned by Col. D. Mc D. LINDSY, was destroyed by fire. WILLIAMS and his wife had gone to church and left three little children at home in the house who, but for the aid of a neighboring lady who discovered the fire in time to rescue them, would have been burned up in the building. The poor man's furniture and provisions were destroyed.

☞ The Elizabeth City correspondent of the Norfolk *Landmark* closes his last letter as follows:

"Our section is beginning to feel an interest in the project of deepening and widening the Dismal Swamp Canal. The NORTH CAROLINIAN, ever alive to the material interests of this section of the "Old North State," and especially to the subject of better transportation, has opened the ball in the matter, and its position and arguments are endorsed by the people. It is an enterprise affecting the interests of Norfolk as well as our own. Let the people at both ends, *and all along the line*, make common cause of the matter, and *keep on* agitating it, and success must eventually be the result. How it would benefit this whole country! While it would build up Elizabeth City, it would largely increase the trade of Norfolk."

☞ We have always taken an interest in young men earnestly striving for something higher and better. We have not forgotten the aspirations and the struggles of our boyhood years,—how advice and recognition and sympathy strengthened us in our resolutions and aims. A kind word, a friendly act, a gentle rebuke—how often do these, by their subtile influence, become the starting points in grand careers that otherwise would have ended as utter wrecks. Often, very often do we receive letters from young men asking advice: Sometimes we reply by letter, at other times when the suggestions the *spirit moves* us to write are of a general character and adapted to the condition of others, we do it through these columns. For this reason we reply in this way to a letter for advice from "Ario," a young friend whose only patrimony is a fair education and good health, but whose associates have plenty of money and like to spend it freely. Our summing up is: Foolish spending is the father of poverty. Do not be ashamed of work. Find employment at the best wages you can get, but work, work for half price rather than be idle. Be your own master, and do not let society swallow up your individuality—hat, coat and boots. Do not eat up or wear out all that you earn. Compel your selfish body to spare something for profits saved. Be rather stingy to your own appetite. See that you are proud, but let your pride be of the right kind. Be too proud to be lazy; too proud to give up without conquering every difficulty; too proud to wear a coat you cannot afford to buy; too proud to be in company that you cannot keep up with in expenses, and too proud to be dishonest. Adopt these rules and the time will come, sooner or later, when you can feel and be as independent as any of your peers.

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LOCAL BRIEFS:—Our old friend J. J. BROWER, Esq., and wife, of Bloomsburg, Pa., arrived on a visit to their son in this city last week. They returned this morning.—EMANUEL DAVIS has been engaged as Sexton to take charge of the Cemetery. Hundreds of people visited it on Sabbath last, admiring the improvements made.—The weather for the past week has not been favorable for the Fisherics.—Sunday last, the 15th inst., was the birth day of the "Hero of New Orleans," ANDREW JACKSON.—The Municipal election is beginning to be talked about,—H. E. NELSON, Esq., of Pitt county, Special Agent of the Southern Claims Commission, has been spending a few days in the City.—ROBINSON, the Furniture man, has put up a new sign.—The early peas are from 3 to 5 inches high, and the early potatoes coming up.—The Steamers "Louisa" and "Commerce," from Baltimore propose hereafter to regularly stop at Elizabeth City.

## Business Locals.

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39—2t.

A barber shop of women is soon to open in Washington, D. C. Of the proposed innovation the *Capital* says: "There are eight of them—women we mean—eight lovely women, who possess not only the art to lather and manipulate the down from the chin of spoony youth, but the skill to vex the bald scalp and tickle the long lost hair into fuzzy respectability from the barren cranium of old age."

A most melancholy case is that of the mother in Indiana, who died of grief at the arrest of her son as a thief, whose innocence was almost immediately established.

Grey is one of the fashionable colors in silk.

The Patti is the name of one of the new bonnets.

Caleb Cushing, U. S. Minister to Spain has sailed for Europe.

The Norfolk *Landmark* calls two pugilistic darkies in that place "youthful Ashantees."

"Should auld acquaintance be forgot" depends a great deal upon circumstances. If they have money, certainly not.

A rough but plain speaker says: Prohibition does not exist in Massachusetts—not by a jug-full."

Female Equisite—"Quite a nice ball at Mrs. Millefleur's, wasn't it?" Male ditto—"Indeed, really most quite."

There are over fourteen and a half million of children of the school age in this country.

It is said of a saloon-keeper recently conquered by the Ohio temperance people that he never "smiled" again.

The bridal attire of President Jackson's wife was worn by her niece at an old folks' concert in Nashville the other night.

A Paris letter says the Empress Eugenie has aged sadly. There are deep lines at each side of her mouth, and her whole face looks drawn and haggard.

The Supreme Court of Mississippi has affirmed the legitimacy of children born of marriages between white and colored persons.

California and Pennsylvania legislators seem likely to agree on $1,000 a session as compensation for serving in the General Assembly.

A legislator of foreign extraction remarked, "Ven I vas elected I thought I vould find dem all Solomons down here; but I found dere vas some as pick fools here as mineself."

Mrs. Noyes of New York, better known as Ada Clare, the actress, was petting a sick lap-dog, the other day, when it sprang at her face and bit her. In a few days she was attacked with hydrophodia and died.

A bachelor at a banquet in Newcastle, England, gave the following toast:—"The women and coal of Durham county—oh, how desolate would the firesides be without them!"

"Insinuendo" is a new word coined by a colored orator. It is best not to ridicule it, however, for these new words are very apt to find their way into the dictionary after a while.—*Rochester Democrat.*

A Kentucky paper apologizes for having spoken of the "red-headed, malignant mule who disperses the county money," by saying that it wrote: "Big-hearted, valiant soul."

A youth asked permission of his mother to go to a ball. She told him it was a bad place for little boys. "Why, mother, didn't you and my father used to go to balls when you were young?" "Yes, but we have seen the folly of it," said the mother. "Well, mother," exclaimed the son, "I want to see the folly of it, too!"

## MARRIAGES.

BAUM—NICHOLSON.—At Coinjock, N. C., at the bride's father's, on the 5th inst., by V. L. Pitts, Esq., Mr. EDMUND BAUM to Miss HARRIET NICHOLSON, both of Currituck county, N. C.


THE GREAT ANTAGONIST OF DISEASE.—What is the natural antagonist of disease? It is vital principle. From the moment that disease is developed in the system, this champion fights the intruder until it either conquers or is conquered. Which side should medical science espouse in this life and death struggle? Should it depress and cripple the physical energies of the patient, thereby helping the disorder, or should it reinforce the vitality of the patient, thereby assist in quelling the ailment? Of course the propper answer to this question must be obvious to every one above the grade of an idiot or a lunatic, and hence it follows that the weak and broken down invalid who chooses to dose himself with depleting slops, instead of toning, invigorating and vitalizing his enervated frame with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, must be either feeble minded or deranged. Surely nothing short of imbecility or insanity could induce a person laboring under bodily weakness and nervous prostrating, to take day after day powerful doses of some drastic purgative in the hope of gaining strength thereby. Although charlatans may advertise preparations of this character as tonics, people in the full possession of their reason can not, one would think, accept them as such. If they do the penalty of their credulity may be the dyspeptic, the billious, the debilitated and nervous and all who are subject to intermittents, or other diseases brought on by the inclement weather which prevails at this season, will do well to strengthen their nerves, with the Bitters. The two-sold operation of the restorative as an invigorant and an aperient, in addition to its direct and specific effect upon the disordered liver, renders it a most efficient remedy for complaints of the digestive, secretive and excretive organs, at present in use. This fact is conbsled by eminent members of the faculty whose testimony to that effect is published in Hostetter's Almanac for 1874.


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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 20th day of Jan. A. D. 1874, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Zenas Fearing Pasquotank County, State of North Carolina, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their state, will be held at Elizabeth City N.C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S. Marshal.*
Wm. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messanger*
35—3t.

State of North Carolina, } SUPERIOR COURT.
Martin County.

Henry B. Roboson, Plaintiff.
*Against*
William E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshall and wife S. A., J. Hodges and wife Augusta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry, M. E. Cherry and W. P. Cherry, Defendants.

PETITION TO SELL LAND FOR A DIVISION.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the return made by the Sheriff and affidavit of the Plaintiff that the Defendants W. E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshal, & wife S. A., J. Hodges & wife Augusta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry M. E. Cherry & W. P. Cherry, cannot be found in this county, and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, for six weeks successively, notifying them to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Williamston on Monday the 9th day of March next, there and then to plead, answer or demur, to the complaint of the above named plantiff otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them, and an order of sale granted accordingly.

Witness Joseph M. Siterson, clerk of said Court, at Williamston, this 27th, day of January 1874.

JOS. M. SITERSON,
Superior Court Clerk.

32-6t.


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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

*Estate of D. M. Lee.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of D. M. Lee of Currituck County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee.
36-3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of K. R. Pendleton.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of K. R. Pendleton of Perquimans Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee,
30-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of Henry Knaben.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Henry Knabe of Chowan Co., N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

PUBLIC SALE.

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By authority of the Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act for the Relief of Mechanics and others, known as the Mechanic's "Lien Law;"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, To all whom it may concern:—That on the 30th day of April next ensuing at 12 o'clock M., at the foot of "Long Bridge" on the premises of A. McHarney, Elizabeth City, N. C., will be SOLD at public auction for cash the Schooner "Spray," to satisfy and pay the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty-three Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing A. Wilder & Son for work and labor, &c., on said Schooner; also the further sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing W. W. Griffin for lumber furnished for repairs of said Schooner "Spray" as per accounts filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pasquotank County, N. C., as also to pay all costs attending this sale.

W. W. GRIFFIN.
Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 28th, 1874.
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
for the Albemarle District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 19th day of Feb. A. D. 1874 a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. E. Mitchell, of Bertie County, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property of by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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Will be sold at Sheriff's Sale at the Court House door of Camden county on Tuesday the 7th day of April, 1874 a tract of land situated in Court House Township, Camden county, N. C., bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the bridge at the corner of John C. Nash's land, thence down the Gumberry road to the corner of the fence on the said road, thence down the said fence to John C. Nash's land or the Bell heirs' land, thence down the said Bell heirs' land to the place of beginning, containing 12 acres; to be sold for Taxes as the land of the estate of James Wilkins.

At the same time and place another tract of land situated on Raymonds Creek in the Township of Shiloh and county aforesaid; butted and bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a cedar at the Northeast corner of Frederick Garrett's land, thence running a southwardly course binding said Garrett's land to the head of a ditch, thence down the ditch southwardly to the Pasquotank River, thence binding said River to Raymonds Creek, thence Northwardly binding said Creek to John Leary's line, thence by various courses binding said Leary's line to the place of beginning, containing 39 acres, to be sold for taxes as the land of Zion H. Berry.

Terms of both sales CASH.

D. D. FEREBEE, Sheriff.
Camden C. H., March 4th, 1874.-tf

BANKRUPT SALE OF REVERSIONARY INTERESTS.

Will be Sold on Monday, April 20th next before the Court House door in the county of Currituck between the hours of 10 and 3 o'clock the Reversionary Interest of J. W. Baxter and on Saturday, April 25th next, before the Court House door in the county of Dare between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock the Reversionary Interests of Samuel Mann in the lands surrendered by the above named parties in their schedule in Bankruptcy. The sales are made in pursuance of law and parties purchasing will have made to them a deed in fee upon complying with the terms which is cash.

JAMES L. BALL,
Assignee.
March 3rd, 1874.


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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

*Estate of A. H. Coffield.*

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

WILSON G. LAMB, Assignee,
33-3t. Williamston, N. C

### Farther Thoughts on Thinning Fruit.

A few days ago, while looking over the collection of a novice in fruit culture, we observed one of his dwarf apple trees loaded with young fruit, the tree having been planted the past Spring, and consequently weak, and unable to perfect a single specimen much less a full crop. Upon being remonstrated with, our friend replied that perhaps it was injudicious, but he could not wait. Here is one of the chief causes of premature decline in trees. Fruit should be removed from young and recently transplanted trees, in every instance, as cropping at an early age is merely the result of weakened vitality, and, if the fruit is allowed to mature, it, will hasten disease or cause death. The same rule holds good in the small fruits. In strawberry plantations, the young clusters of fruit, or what is preferable, the blossoms, should invariably be clipped off early in the season. This will add vigor to the plants, and insure a crop the succeeding year which will abundantly pay for temporary sacrifice and the trouble.

In our bearing orchards, or scattered trees of suitable age, this thinning operation is also of the greatest importance. It is a mistaken idea to suppose that we obtain a far larger weight from a tree loaded with small specimens. One dozen extra fine apples, pears, &c., are worth more than double the number of imperfect specimens. No one understood this better than the late Mr. Knox of Pittsburgh, Penn. His fruits were taken into market all large and perfect, and, as a matter of course, commanded a higher price than those of his contemporaries. What did he do with his imperfect fruits? was the frequent inquiry. His reply was, "I have none. It don't pay to grow such." At the end of the season, should any small fruits remain, they were sold by themselves and never mixed.

Grapes under glass are more benefited, perhaps, by judicious thinning than any other variety of fruit. Not only should all the small bunches be cut off, but the berries, at least one-half, should be cut out. We have known instances, and they are not unusual, where the crop has been doubled by such seemingly severe treatment. This is doubtless strange doctrine to the novice, but it is nevertheless founded on fact. In outdoor grapes, care should be exercised in removing the superfluous fruit. A good rule is to allow but one large cluster to remain on each spur or lateral (side branch), and always to cut away any imperfect or weak cluster, no matter where situated. Some varieties are prone to form very compact bunches, and when such is the case, a few berries may be taken out, using a careful hand, lest those adjoining are injured by the operation.

Such thinning as we advise may appear like waste, but it is a necessity and must be done. Fruit to mature with the best results should be evenly distributed over tree or vine; not be allowed to hang in clusters but singly, and as near as we consistently can, preserve a certain uniformity of appearance throughout. Select the weaker, or what is termed "underlings," for removal, and it is, indeed, astonishing how those that are left will improve in size thereafter. Peaches will pay a large profit on the investment of thinning out. The extensive peach-grower is fully aware of this fact, and profits by it at all times. Indeed, let the skeptic visit a plantation of neglected trees, examine one that is always under the immediate eye of its owner, such, for instances, as that of Dr. Hull, near Alton, Ill., and our word for it, he will never oppose the practice of thinning out the crop.

The objection frequently urged against this labor is its cost, but enhanced value is abundantly adequate to reimburse the owner for the outlay, and more too. Although we are not prepared to indorse the shiftless practice of some orchardists of carelessly thrashing down a portion of their crops with poles, still we would far rather have the result accomplished in this way than not at all.

Visitors to the horticultural exhibitions in England are astonished at the immense size of the goosebe ries offered for competition, and cannot understand how such marvelous products are obtained. Highly fertilizing the soil is by no means the only requisite for success. A few specimens only are allowed to remain on the plants. A few years since at one of our horticultural shows, we saw the largest bunch of grapes ever grown in this country. What was the secret? Simply that all others were removed, and the entire strength of an old vine concentrated in this one bunch. In taking leave of the subject we would ask our readers to bear in mind that overburdened branches are stunted, if not permanently disabled, and that judicious thinning of fruit at an early period of its growth invariably brings the best results.

### Too Much Land.

Land is wealth only as it can be made productive. When unproductive it is a source of poverty. When partly cultivated and made less productive than it might be by thorough cultivation labor is wasted and goes for naught. Had that labor been expended in thorough cultivation it would have yielded profitable results. These ideas are worth considering by those who strive to add field to field and to enlarge their boundaries beyond their powers of usefully and productively cultivating them. The capital needed to properly cultivate a farm in England is estimated at $50 per acre, leaving out of question the land and buildings. This amount is expended in stock implements, manures purchased, feed and labor, before a single dollar is returned in the shape of crops. The consequence is the average yield of the soil there is five times that of ours, which ratio probably represents the excessive proportion of land under inefficient cultivation with us.

### Frosted Feet

Twenty-five years ago I was terribly afflicted with chilblains, and had been for 15 years, being laid up some winters for weeks, and after trying many remedies, stumbled on the following: Soak the feet in hot water for at least half an hour, occasional adding hot water to keep up the heat all that can be endured. After wiping the feet, hold them by a hot stove just as hot as can be endured another half hour, occasionally bathing them with some healing liniment. Repeat this for three or four nights. I have never suffered an hour since this trial was made.—*Rochester, N. Y.*

P. B S.

The Winston *Sentinel* records some curious family coincidences. Phillip Billiter, Esq., died in Old Town on Tuesday of last week. He and his father were both born on the 1st of February, both died on the 26th of February, both aged 31 years and 25 days at the time of their death, both died of the same disease, and both sick the same length of time.

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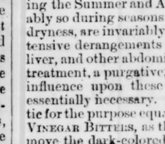

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